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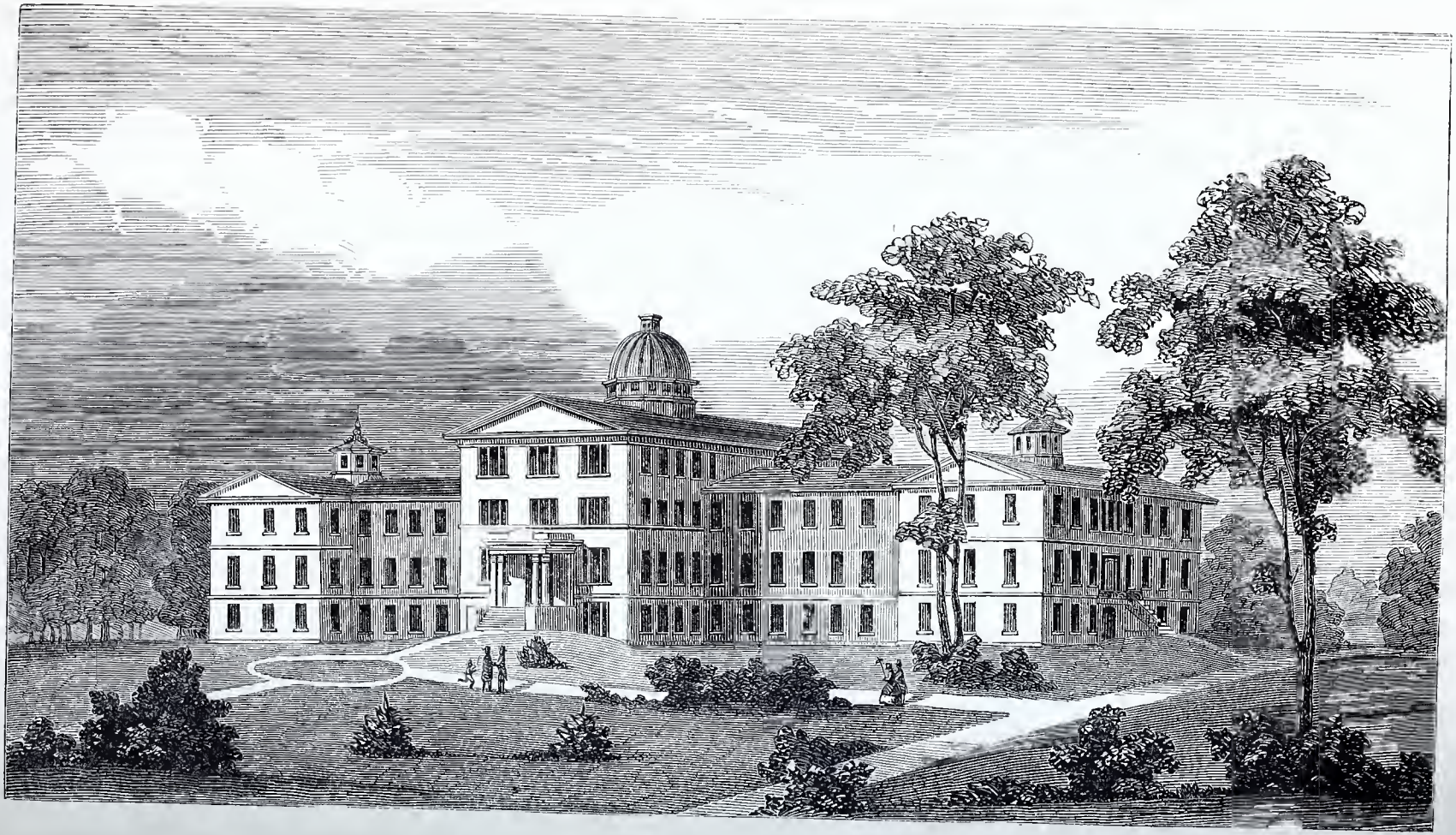

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A WORD TO PARENTS.

CLOTHING.

Each child to be amply provided with clothing, plainly marked with full name.

When preferred, it will be supplied, by depositing a sufficient sum of money for that purpose, with the Superintendent.

VISITS.

There is no objection to parents visiting the Institution, subject to the following rules:—

1.—The frequency of the visits to be determined by the Superintendent. To some children it does good, to others harm.

2.—No sweet-meats, fruits or money, to be given to the children.

3.—They are not to be taken home except by permission of Superintendent. As a rule, once a year is quite often enough.

A WORD TO VISITORS.

On arrival, visitors will ask for the Superintendent, or his assistant, either of whom will receive them.

Cars leave corner of Market and Eighteenth Streets, Philadelphia, several times daily.

Nearest stopping place, Media.

On arrival at Media, passengers may be conveyed to and from the Institution by Henderson's Hack.

Thursday afternoon at 3 o'clock, P. M., for general visiting.

Communications addressed to

JOSEPH PARRISH, M. D.,
MEDIA, PA.

ANNUAL REPORT.

To the Legislature of Pennsylvania and to the Contributors to the Pennsylvania Training School for Feeble-Minded Children.

The Directors of the Pennsylvania Training School for Feeble-Minded Children present this their Ninth Annual Report.

It is with devout gratitude to the Author of all good, that they congratulate their friends and the public on the condition of the Institution, and its labors for the past year. The south wing of the building is now completed, and the entire establishment fit for occupancy. Accommodation is thus provided for fifty additional pupils. During the year which has just closed, the number has increased from eighty-seven to one hundred and six. For full details in regard to their health, their physical and mental development, and their success in industrial efforts, the Board would refer to the Report of the Superintendent, which is annexed. Each year seems to furnish more conclusive proof that the condition of a large proportion of that class of children for whom such schools are established, admits of essential improvement. By a judicious combination of exercise, recreation and study, by a careful attention to diet, air and cleanliness, and by well-directed systems of labor, much is accom-

plished; much, also, by special treatment adapted to the peculiarities of each case. The Board feels itself encouraged by the past, and animated to press on, under the inspiration of faith and hope, to more strenuous efforts and more blessed results.

Owing to the suspension of postal and other means of communication, the Board has not been able to collect the bills of several pay-pupils. To that extent the customary income of the school has been diminished, while the expenses have remained as hitherto. The Board owes it to the Principal and his associates to state, that that they have offered to suspend, to a corresponding extent, the collection of their salaries, and to make their final payment in full, depend upon the collection of these debts. For conduct so considerate and generous, the Managers cannot but feel and express their high appreciation. They are most unwilling, however, to impose on faithful workers such a sacrifice, and they indulge the fond hope that generous friends of the cause in which we are engaged, will, by their contributions, render it unnecessary.

ALONZO POTTER,
President.

REPORT OF THE SUPERINTENDENT.

To the Board of Directors:

The past year has been abundant in labors, trials, and experience; and now at its close, it is my duty to lay before you the annual report.

First, that we have not been without signs of hope and blessing. Some of our little ones imprisoned in the gloom of imbecility, have been liberated from darkness and sorrow, to possess a share of light and gladness, such as they never knew before. Some have developed the fact of their capacity for self-support, and now enjoy the humble fruits of their own industry. These are signs of hope.

Others incurably imbecile, still, and always to be the children of despondency, linger among us, to kindle afresh, every day, the sense of gratitude to God that all are not as they are, and to invite by their very feebleness the strength of the strong to their aid; these are signs of blessing: and with such incentives, drawn from the humble ministry of the imbecile's life, and under the more inspiring principle of duty, have the household borne the trust which has been confided to them through the past year.

Labors and trials have been sent to prove and to prune, and no single year of our history has been so instructive in experience, or so fruitful in results, as that which has just closed. A few things have been learned,

and many more remain to be discovered, but by continued effort and more patient waiting, will all that is hoped for in connection with this Institution come to pass. As one of the few who have taken an active interest in this subject, I venture the declaration, that success will attend our efforts to improve the condition of the imbecile, if founded and conducted upon those principles which prompt to all *true* benevolent effort, viz.: love for the race, and love for the author of the race. To reduce the standard of labor in this behalf to a mere cold-handed charity, and dole out a subsistence that shall be measured by actual physical need, will by no means reach the mental and moral condition, which is the *thing* to be reached. An imbecile is not merely a depraved animal organism, which duty prompts us to keep alive with food and drink, and to protect with clothing and shelter; but an immortal being, shut up in a prison, panting for sunshine and yearning for love. If we fail to surround him with influences that shall supply his immortal longings, we fail to fulfil our duty towards him. It is one of the laws of our very life, that the weak are dependent upon the strong; we realize it fully in the outward physical world, but to appreciate it in connection with the inner life, requires the exercise of virtues, with which too many are strangely ignorant. Let *us* cultivate these virtues and press on hopefully in this noble work.

The following statement exhibits the condition and progress of the family:—

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

No epidemic has visited us, and but two cases of severe illness, and one death have occurred during the

year. In this department of our house, the gravest form of disease is epilepsy—but various phases of chronic infirmity are exhibited in many of our inmates, descriptions of which belong more appropriately to a medical paper, than to a report like this.

SCHOOL DEPARTMENT.

The first lesson to be learned before any advancement can be made, is comprehended in the

Order Class—which embraces the entire family of children who are not engaged in work. Their daily specific instructions and exercises in this department constitute the basis of operation for our whole system—order is the first law.

Object Lessons.—The form, size, color, consistence, uses and abuses of familiar objects, as household furniture, books, glass, paper, sponge, &c., every thing to which the eye is accustomed is presented in detail. Ideas are thus called forth, the expression of which indicates the several degrees of acuteness of mental perception, as well as the power of utterance, by which the teacher is led to a conception of the capacity of the pupils for other pursuits. After the most familiar objects are observed and studied, animals, buildings, implements of agriculture, simple machinery, and geometrical figures are learned, with reference to their practical uses in life.

The natural outgrowth of this beginning is found in drawing, writing, figures, geography, &c., all of which are based on form, size, and the arrangement of parts with each other.

Drawing.—This class consists of ten members who make fair progress. Copying is more readily done, of

course, than sketching, but some of the specimens are very creditable. The use of drawing is in the mental discipline, which is unconsciously acquired by the learner. Attention, imitation, comparison, arrangement, and construction, are all improved, while a present reward is found in the pleasure of doing and possessing something that is attractive.

Writing.—This class consists of two divisions. The primary, eleven in number, begins with simple lines and forms on the slate, and are patiently working their way onward to the copy-book. There are twelve in the advanced class, some of whom are able to correspond with their friends.

Geography is taught to seventeen, and their progress is commendable.

Arithmetic.—The primary division in arithmetic, consists of twelve; their efforts are elementary, but the improvement is in some cases quite remarkable. The advanced class numbers twelve also. Four of these perform examples of reduction in compound numbers, and work out *mentally*, problems like the following:

$$86 \times 8 + 24 - 6 = 706$$

Examples in long division are performed by six of the class.

Reading.—Twenty-seven children read—eleven in Saunder's Second Reader, five in Webb's Second Reader, four in Webb's First; seven use sentences on the blackboard.

INDUSTRIAL DEPARTMENT.

The crowning advantage of such Institutions as this, it seems to me, is the development and application of the faculties of the feeble-minded for the purpose of use-

fulness, and, if possible, of self-support. During the past year we have been favored with an encouraging degree of success in this respect, as will be seen by the following tables:

House.—The larger girls are employed in domestic service part of the time, and some who are able to hold a needle are taught to sew. These have made 113 handkerchiefs, 170 towels, 2 sheets, 72 table napkins, and 32 pillow-cases, besides several pieces of fancy work.

Two boys have entire charge of the children's dining-rooms, scrubbing floors, washing dishes, cleaning knives, arranging tables, &c.

Matress Shop.—Two boys have been able to manufacture the matresses for our own use during the year, and the following will show the value of their work. They have had no assistance, because they needed none.

Matresses made, . . .	102
Do. renewed, . . .	23

Market value of their work, $334.

Shoe Shop.—The results of the shoe shop may be seen by the following statement. One shoemaker has been employed as instructor, and there have been two of our pupils as apprentices. In addition to the mending, new work has been made as follows:

Boys and girls' boots, .	122 pairs.
Do. do. shoes, .	121 do.
Slippers, . . .	67 do.
Gaiters, . . .	10 do.

Market value, including mending, $582 11.

Farm.—The farm land is broken, and at present but little improved. Not more than forty acres have been

available, but the value of the productions is fully equal to the expectations of the committee.

Nine boys work on the farm. Four of them were low idiots, one a semi-mute, and yet they are learning to make themselves useful, and to contribute to their own support. Your wisdom, in selecting a farm upon which to locate the Institution, is becoming more and more apparent every year. It is a valuable school for those who are committed to the charge of the Institution.

In closing this report, it remains for me thus publicly to offer my thanks to Dr. Kerlin, who has assisted me for five years past; to the teachers and officers who have continued in the service since last year, and to the employees of the house, for their zeal in the cause, in which I feel assured there is a growing interest among them.

To express my grateful appreciation of the repeated assurances I have had of your confidence and esteem, is likewise a duty which I am pleased to perform, and I may be allowed to express the earnest hope that, in all the future, we may not fail to cast our cares upon Him who careth for us, as we have abundant reason to acknowledge that His merciful guidance has been our safety in all the past.

Respectfully submitted,

JOSEPH PARRISH,

Superintendent.

MEDIA, January 1, 1862.

APPENDIX.

The number of children in the House in Jan. 1861,	87
Admitted since, ...	39
	126
Removed, (including one deceased,)	20
Present number, ...	106
Of these there are	
Males, ...	74
Females, ...	32
	106
There are from	
Pennsylvania, ...	71
New Jersey, ...	14
New York, ...	1
Massachusetts, ...	1
Delaware, ...	3
Virginia, ...	4
District of Columbia, ...	2
South Carolina, ...	1
Georgia, ...	1
Florida, ...	1
Alabama, ...	1
Louisiana, ...	2
Mississippi, ...	1
Indiana, ...	1
Illinois, ...	1
Ohio, ...	1
	106
Of those removed, there were	
Improved, ...	11
Very much improved and now attending school or usefully employed, ...	5
Stationary, ...	3
Deceased, ...	1
Total removed, ...	20

Of those admitted there are	
Epileptics,	5
Scrofulous,	26
Deformed,	1
Healthy,	6
With Chorea,	1
Total admitted,	39
Of those admitted, there were	
Mutes,	6
Semi-mutes,	9
With defective articulation,	12
With correct articulation,	12
Total admitted,	39
Whole number of	
Epileptics,	14
Scrofulous,	64
Deformed,	6
Healthy,	19
With Chorea,	3
Total number,	106
Whole number of	
Mutes,	22
Semi-mutes,	25
Defective articulation,	32
Correct articulation,	27
Total number,	106

The beneficiaries of the State of Pennsylvania are from counties as follows:—

Allegheny, 4; Berks, 2; Blair, 1; Bradford, 1; Bucks, 2; Chester, 2; Clarion, 1; Clinton, 1; Columbia, 1; Crawford, 1; Dauphin, 1; Delaware, 6; Huntingdon, 1; Lancaster, 2; Lebanon, 1; Luzerne, 1; Lycoming, 1; Montour, 1; Montgomery, 3; Mercer, 2; McKean, 1; Northumberland, 1; Philadelphia, 22; Tioga, 1,—total, 60.

The beneficiaries of the State of New Jersey are from the counties, as follows:—

Burlington, 2; Camden, 3; Essex, 1; Gloucester, 2; Mercer, 2; Middlesex, 1; Morris, 1; Salem, 1; Sussex, 1,—total, 14.

The beneficiaries of the State of Delaware are from the counties, as follows:—

Kent, 1; New Castle, 2,—total, 3.

LIFE MEMBERSHIP.

Any person contributing thirty dollars, becomes a Life Member of our Corporation, and is entitled to receive a beautifully engraved certificate, to vote for Directors at the annual meetings of Corporators, which are held on the second Wednesday of February in each year, and to receive the annual reports, and other published documents.

FORM OF BEQUEST OR DEVISE.

OF PERSONAL PROPERTY.

I do give and bequeath to "THE PENNSYLVANIA TRAINING SCHOOL FOR FEEBLE-MINDED CHILDREN," the sum of ———— dollars.

OF REAL ESTATE.

I do give and devise unto "THE PENNSYLVANIA TRAINING SCHOOL FOR FEEBLE-MINDED CHILDREN," their successors and assigns forever, all that certain, (describe the estate,) with the appurtenances.

LIST OF EVENING ENTERTAINMENTS.

THE ELEPHANT.—Two large boys so arrange themselves, as to appear like an Elephant, when covered with drapery of proper color and style,—and when "TIPPO SAIB," is introduced by his keeper, HERR VON KERSLETZ, in Eastern costume, it is a time of much merriment.

A SERIES OF TABLEAUX.—Consisting of pieces, such as follows:—"The Child of the Regiment," "Et tu Brute," "The Gossips," "The Speaking Picture," "The Execution of Lady Jane Gray," "The Seven Stages of Life," "The Last of the Mohicans," "Old Mortality," "Morning and Evening," "William Penn's Treaty with the Indians," etc., etc., which afford much pleasure both to performers and spectators.

CHARADES—such as, HAM-IL-TON,—Magic Lantern,—Tempest in a Tea-pot,—Dumb Bell,—Grenadier, etc.

A SERIES OF OLD FOLKS CONCERTS, with Antique Costumes, etc., Magic Lantern Exhibitions, Fire-works on July 4th.

During the Winter, Chemical Lectures, with attractive experiments, by Dr. KERLIN.

VISITING DAY.

The Thursday afternoon exhibitions have been temporarily suspended, but will be resumed shortly. We have not forgotten the kindness of friends who have visited us in the past, and whose box contributions on these occasions are now gratefully acknowledged. The aggregate amount of these collections has been expended in supplying a few destitute children with clothing, and of aiding in the support of our evening entertainments.

ALEXANDER FULLERTON, *Treasurer, in account with* "PENNSYLVANIA TRAINING SCHOOL."

DR.			CR.		
1861,			1861,		
Jan. 1,	To Cash balance on hand,	$5,188 02	By Furniture,		$18 00
Dec. 31,	" State Appropriation,	8,750 00	" Farming Utensils and Stock,		34 00
	" Pennsylvania State Pupils,	11,983 32	" Media Estate,		16,815 38
	" Income, Rent, &c.,	157 18	" Household Committee,	14,609 63	
	" Donations and Life Subscriptions,	2,035 29	" Rent and Salaries,	3,749 17	
	" New Jersey State Pupils,	2,168 84	" Incidental Expenses,	1,492 25	
	" Delaware State Pupils,	44 44			19,851 05
	" Private Pupils,	6,339 98	" Cash balance,		1,569 64
	" Mortgage Loan,	1,500 00			
	To Donations in Materials,	121 00			
		$38,288 07			
1862, Jan. 1,	To Balance,	$1,569 64			$38,288 07

Errors and omissions excepted.

ALEXANDER FULLERTON,
Treasurer.

JANUARY 1, 1862.

Examined and found correct,

JOHN P. CROZER,
S. MORRIS WALN.

LIFE SUBSCRIBERS AND DONORS

OF THE

Pennsylvania Training School for Feeble-Minded Children.

Abbott, George,	$30 00
Adams, R.,	5 00
Albree, George,	50 00
Allen, Rev. Thomas G.,	30 00
Allibone, Thomas,	30 00
Allibone, S. Austin,	10 00
Anderson & Co., John,	30 00
Andrews, James,	100 00
Arnold, Simon W.,	30 00
Ashhurst, John,	80 00
Ashhurst, Lewis R.,	30 00
Ashhurst, Richard,	100 00
Atkins, Rev. A. B ,	30 00
Apple, William,	30 00
Antrim, Osborn,	20 00
Ashton, G. H.,	30 00
Atwood, James,	20 00
Agnew, Samuel,	5 00
Bacon, John,	30 00
Bagley, William,	50 00
Baily, Joel J.,	30 00
Baily , oshua L.,	50 00
Baily & Co.,	50 00
Baker, Abram,	30 00
Bakewell, Thomas,	100 00
Baldwin, M. W.,	160 00
Bargh, William,	50 00
Barclay, James J.,	30 00
Barton, Isaac,	50 00
Bastian, George,	5 00
Bayard, James,	30 00
Beer, Robert,	25 00
Beesley, Dr. T. E.,	30 00
Benners, H. B.,	100 00
Benners, J. M.,	100 00
Benny & Co., James,	10 00
Biddle, Thomas,	30 00
Biddle & Co., Thomas,	50 00
Bidwell, W. C.,	5 00
Bispham, Mrs. M. C.,	30 00
Bohlen, John,	50 00
Boller, Henry J.,	30 00
Bond, D. James,	30 00
Brantley, Rev. William T.,	30 00
Brewer, J.,	$50 00
Brewer, C.	50 00
Brooke, H. Jones,	200 00
Brooke, Lewis,	30 00
Barnes, Rev. Albert,	50 00
Bryson, James H.,	10 00
Brown, David S.,	30 00
Brooke, Owen,	30 00
Brown, Alexander,	50 00
Brown, Frederick,	30 00
Brown, John,	100 00
Brown, John A.	500 00
Brown, Joseph D.,	220 00
Brown, Moses,	30 00
Brown, N. B.,	130 00
Brown, Hannah,	30 00
Browns & Bowen,	50 00
Brunot, F. R,	50 00
Bispham,	30 00
Buckley, Ralph,	30 00
Buckner, McCammon & Co.,	10 00
Bunting, Josiah,	15 00
Bunting, Susan H.,	50 00
Burd, Eliza H.,	50 00
Burt, Arthur A.,	30 00
Babb, J. W.,	20 00
Bancroft, Samuel,	200 00
Baird, John,	30 00
Baker, Michael V.,	30 00
Barclay, J. C.,	10 00
Barton, James,	10 00
Bache, M. D. Franklin,	100 00
Besson, Charles A.,	10 00
Bettle, Sen., Samuel,	200 00
Biddle, Annie E.,	20 00
Biddle, Mrs. Charles,	10 00
Biddle, A.,	50 00
Blakely, Abram,	20 00
Bohlen & Co.,	25 00
Borie, Charles and Henry,	100 00
Brinton, George,	200 00
Bromall, John M.,	50 00
Buckwalter, Henry,	20 00
Bucknell, William,	100 00
Biddle, William,	30 00

Barnite, T. Ellwood,	$20 00
Bishop, Joel,	10 00
Bishop, Orpha,	5 00
Bishop, Emile,	5 00
Brinton, Lewis,	25 00
Bower, W. A.,	1 00
Cadwallader, John,	25 00
Cadwallader, W.,	5 00
Caldwell & Co., J. E.,	10 00
Camden and Amboy Bond,	315 00
Cameron, Mrs. Margaret,	30 00
Campbell, James R.,	30 00
Carter, John,	50 00
Carver, A. B.,	30 00
Carver,	30 87
Cash,	10 00
"	12 00
" M. C.,	5 00
"	6 00
"	10 00
"	15 00
Chapman, Joseph,	5 00
Childs, Rev. John A.,	30 00
Childs & Co., H.,	100 00
Churchman, Charles W.,	30 00
Clark, Julia K.,	30 00
Clark, Rev. S. A.,	30 00
Clark, Rev. H. Steele,	30 00
Clark & Co., Edward,	130 00
Clark, James G.,	30 00
Claxton, Ashton,	1 00
Coffin, A. G.,	30 00
Cogswell, J. S.,	5 00
Colder, William,	30 00
Coleman, Mrs. James,	10 00
Collections,	32 32
Collins, Isaac,	30 00
Collins, H. H.,	10 00
Collins, Frederick,	34 00
Coates, Abraham,	50 00
Cleveland, Charles D.,	30 00
Colwell, Stephen,	120 00
Constable, John,	20 00
Cooper, Hannah,	30 00
Cope, Alfred,	1200 00
Cope, Jasper,	1000 00
Cope, Caleb,	30 00
Cope, Thomas P.	100 00
Cope, Herman,	30 00
Cope, Henry,	700 00
Corcoran, W. W.,	30 00
Cornelius, Robert,	50 00
Cowell, J. V.,	5 00
Cox, John,	200 00
Cresson, Elliot,	30 00
Croskey, Henry,	10 00
Crozer, John P.,	5,500 00
Curtis, Benjamin T.,	100 00
Curwen, Dr. John,	$30 00
Cuthbert, Rev. James,	30 00
Cain, Hacker & Cook,	30 15
Chambers, Andrew R.,	30 00
Chambers, Mrs. A. R.,	30 00
Cochran, James,	10 00
Cochran, Sarah Jane,	10 00
Colahan, John B.,	30 00
Colkett, Coffin,	30 00
Cooper, Hetty L.,	50 00
Cooper, Abby,	50 00
Concert Hall,	142 79
Crozer, Samuel A.,	30 00
Cash,	20 00
Crosby, John L.,	30 00
Cuthbert, Allen,	25 00
Clark, W. M.,	1 00
Dallet, E. J.,	5 00
Davis, E. M.,	50 00
Dawson, Josiah,	6000 00
Dawson, M. L.,	60 00
Dean, John,	50 00
Deacon, John C.,	30 00
De Silver, Robert,	30 00
Dickinson, Mahlon H.,	30 00
Dilworth, William,	50 00
Drayton, William H.,	5 00
Dreer, F. J.,	50 00
Dundas, James,	100 00
Dutillh, Charles,	30 00
Darlington, William,	20 00
Deshong, John A.,	10 00
Drexel, A. J.,	30 00
Dutton, Jonathan,	10 00
Evans, Thomas,	30 00
Earl, E. W.,	30 00
Earp, Thomas,	250 00
Ebbs, William,	100 00
Ellis, Charles,	40 00
Ellis, Jacob N.,	30 00
Ellison, John B.,	30 00
Ellison, William P.,	30 00
Elwyn, Dr. A. L.,	30 00
Errickson, Michael,	30 00
Evans, John,	5 00
Earle, James M.,	30 00
Everhart, William,	5 00
Emlen, James,	20 00
Evans, Joel,	30 00
Fahnestock, George W.,	30 00
Farnum, John,	30 00
Fassitt, Alfred,	30 00
Fell, J. G.,	30 00
Female Communicants, per Rev. Dr. Dorr,	100 00

Field, Samuel,	$30 00
Filley, Harvey,	50 00
Fisher, Charles H.,	80 00
Fisher, J. Francis,	210 00
Fleming & Brother,	30 00
Fling, William B.,	30 00
Fobes, George W.,	30 00
Frankford, per Rev. D. S. Miller,	10 00
Frazer, W. W.,	10 00
Friends in Beaver County,	200 00
Friend,	50 00
Fullerton, Alexander,	200 00
Fulton, Margaret M.,	30 00
Fulton, Jane W.,	30 00
Furness, Rev. William H.,	30 00
Fairlamb, Frederick,	20 00
Field, James,	30 00
Friends to the afflicted,	5 00
Fotteral, Stephen G.,	100 00
Futhey, John S.,	20 00
Friend,	10 00
Friends, Three,	20 00
Garrett, Edward,	100 00
Garrett, Isaac P.,	100 00
Garrett, Lewis,	30 00
Garrett, John,	30 00
Gaul, Frederick,	5 00
Gaul, William,	10 00
Gaw, Henry L.,	10 00
Gerhard, Benjamin,	100 00
Gill, Thomas R.,	5 00
Gillingham, M. Y.,	30 00
Godey, Lewis A.,	10 00
Grelett, Rachel,	30 00
Greeves, James R.,	60 00
Grigg, John,	150 00
Gurney, Eliza P.,	350 00
Garrett, W. E. & Sons,	100 00
Garrett, Thomas,	30 00
Garrett, Ann,	30 00
Garrett, Abigail S.,	30 00
Garrett, Phœbe R.,	30 00
Gibson, John Sons & Co.,	50 00
Gibbons, Jane,	100 00
Gibbons, Hannah,	100 00
Gumbes, Rebecca,	30 00
Green, Jesse C.,	20 00
Gray, Robert E.,	50 00
Hacker, Isaiah,	30 00
Hacker, Jeremiah,	30 00
Hacker, Morris,	30 00
Haddock, Jr., Daniel,	30 00
Hanna, Joshua,	100 00
Haines, J. C.,	1 00
Hailman, James W.,	50 00
Haldeman, Isaac,	200 00
Hallowell, Joshua L.,	30 00
Hambright, M. W.,	$5 00
Hand, James C.,	180 00
Hansell, William S.,	30 00
Hare, Robert E.,	30 00
Hare, J. J. Clarke,	30 00
Harbaugh, S.,	5 00
Harris, Thomas G.,	1 00
Harris, Edward,	30 00
Harrison, Jr., Joseph,	1175 00
Harper, J.,	10 00
Harvey, Isaac,	50 00
Harvey, Josiah L.,	10 00
Haven, W. S.,	30 00
Hay, William,	50 00
Hazard, Erskine,	100 00
Hazard, Fanny,	5 00
Hazard, Alexander F.,	30 00
Hazeltine, John,	30 00
Heaton, Augustus,	30 00
Hildeburn, W.,	10 00
Helmuth, Mrs. Catharine,	30 00
Henry, Charlton,	10 00
Henderson, Robert,	5 00
Hicks, John W.,	30 00
Howell, Wilson,	15 00
Hansell, Mrs. W. S.,	30 00
Hickman, John,	100 00
Hildeburn, Joseph H.,	50 00
Holmes & Son, N.,	200 00
Holmes, John,	50 00
Holmes, William,	100 00
Holmes, William B.,	5 00
Hoopes, Walter Y.,	30 00
Horner, Mrs. Elizabeth,	50 00
Horton, John,	80 00
Howard, P. R.,	25 00
Howe, Thomas M.,	50 00
Hunt, Dr. William,	30 00
Husband, Thomas J.	60 00
Hussey, C. J.,	25 00
Huston, Samuel,	33 00
Hoopes & Townsend,	10 00
Haddock, John G.,	250 00
Henzey, W. C.,	20 00
Henderson, Edith,	10 00
Hewes, Samuel,	20 00
Hinkson, F. J.,	10 00
Hinkson, Joseph H.,	10 00
Hinkson, Lydia Ann,	10 00
Horn, John,	30 00
Howe, Rev. M. A. De Wolfe,	30 00
Howell, William,	5 00
Hudders, John R.,	30 00
Hulme, Alice,	10 00
Hacker, William,	30 00
Ingersoll, Edward,	50 00
Ingersoll, Joseph R.,	20 00
Irving, James,	20 00

Jackson, George W.,	$100 00
Jackson, William,	30 00
Jameson, James,	30 00
Johnson, Israel H.,	50 00
Johnson, Lawrence,	100 00
Johnson, J. Warner,	30 00
Johnson, Robert S.,	150 00
Jones, Jacob P.,	50 00
Jones, Samuel W.,	60 00
Jones, Rowland,	30 00
Jones, B. M.,	10 00
Justice, Esther S.,	30 00
Justice, Philip S.,	180 00
Justice, C. M.,	1 00
Jeffries, Chalkley,	100 00
Jones, James,	20 00
Johnson, Ruth P.,	200 00
Kane, Hon. J. K.,	30 00
Kent, James & Santee,	10 00
Kelley, Dennis,	100 00
Kelley, Charles,	100 00
Kerlin, M. D., Isaac N.,	100 00
Kerlin, Joseph,	30 00
Ketterline, E.,	30 00
Kimber, Anthony M.,	10 00
Kimber, Jr., Thomas,	280 00
Kirkbride, M. D., Thomas S.,	30 00
Kirkham, William,	80 00
Knedler, J. K.,	20 00
Kramer, Allen,	250 00
Krauth, C. P.,	30 00
Keehmlie, William C.,	30 00
Kimber, Thomas,	80 00
Killgore, John,	30 00
Kirkpatrick, Edwin,	30 00
Lady,	30 00
Ladies, Two Sisters,	60 00
Lea, Isaac,	50 00
Lea, Henry C.,	30 00
Leaming, J. Fisher,	5 00
Leamy, Miss Ann,	100 00
Levick, Robert R.,	30 00
Levis, Oborn,	100 00
Lippincott & Co.,	5 00
Lewis, Edwin M.,	50 00
Lewis, Mordecai D.,	230 00
Lewis, Lawrence,	30 00
Lewis, Henry,	200 00
Lewis, Mrs. R. M.,	30 00
Lewis, Mary,	200 00
Lewis, Miss,	20 00
Lewis, William L.,	100 00
Linnard, J. M.,	50 00
Lippincott, Joshua,	30 00
Lloyd, Sarah H.,	10 00
Longstreth, William M.,	50 00
Loomis, R. C.,	50 00
Lovering, Joseph S.,	$100 00
Loxley, Mary P.,	45 00
Lukens, Nathan,	5 00
Leslic, J. & R.,	15 00
Lapsley, Mrs. David,	25 00
Larkin, Salkeld,	10 00
Laws, James,	20 00
Lejee, William R.,	50 00
Lewis, J. Reece,	30 00
Lewis, Mordecai,	30 00
Lewis, J. W.,	10 00
Lewis, J. Howard,	5 00
Lewis, John T.,	50 00
Longstreth, Joshua,	50 00
Lloyd, Mary,	50 00
Locke, Zebulon,	50 00
Livezey, Sarah M.,	30 00
Lylburn, Henry,	5 00
Macalester, Charles,	50 00
Magraw, Henry S.,	30 00
Manderson, Andrew,	25 00
Manship, Andrew,	5 00
Maris, John M.,	100 00
Marshall, R. M.,	200 00
Marshall, Sarah,	50 00
Marshall, Mary,	50 00
Marshall, John,	100 00
Marshall & Brother,	30 00
Martin, James,	30 00
Mason, Samuel,	30 00
Musser, William,	100 00
Massey, William,	33 00
McAllister, John,	180 00
McAllister, John, Race St.,	30 00
McAuley, James,	50 00
McCall, Catharine,	25 00
McCandless, John,	50 00
McCandless, David,	30 00
McIlvaine, Miss,	5 00
McIlvaine, Spencer,	30 00
McKean, Borie & Co.,	300 00
McLaren, William,	5 00
Magarge, Charles,	30 00
Memphis Bond,	1000 00
Mercer, Singleton A.,	150 00
Merrick & Sons,	30 00
Merrick, Samuel V.,	50 00
Mifflin, Lloyd,	50 00
Miller, H. W.,	40 00
Miller, Rev. D. S.,	30 00
Miller, Reuben, Jr.,	30 00
Mitcheson, M. J.,	30 00
Mitchell, S. Augustus,	10 00
Mitchell, M. D., John,	30 00
McKinley, Robert,	2 00
Myers & Claghorn,	25 00
Miller, Henry,	10 00
Matthews & Moore,	5 00

Martin, Peddle & Co.,	$10 00
Moore, J. Wilson,	50 00
Morgan, Mary,	100 00
Morehead, J. K.,	100 00
Morris, Isaac P.,	180 00
Morris, Jacob G.,	100 00
Morris, Wistar,	1030 00
Morris, Margaretta,	30 00
Morris, Israel W.,	200 00
Morris, H.,	5 00
Morris, Jane,	30 00
Morris, Hannah,	30 00
Morris, Stephen,	30 00
Morris, William J.,	50 00
Morton, Rev. Henry J..	30 00
Morton, Samuel C.,	200 00
Mott, Thomas,	30 00
Mott, Richard F.,	30 00
Moyer, Charles,	30 00
Murphey & Allison,	30 00
Maris, Jesse J.,	20 00
Marshall, J.,	20 00
Mellon, Thomas,	100 00
Massey, Collins & Co.,	100 00
Mendenhall, John,	30 00
McAllister, Mrs.,	30 00
Miller, John H.,	10 00
Miller, Hiram,	30 00
Morton, Sketchley,	30 00
Monaghan, R. E.,	10 00
Morris, Henry,	500 00
McAllister, Jr., John,	50 00
Morris, Tasker & Co.,	1000 00
Needles, Allen,	10 00
Newbold, William H.,	30 00
Newkirk, Matthew,	30 00
Nimick & Co.,	50 00
Norris, Dr. George W.,	30 00
Norris, Samuel,	50 00
Neal, William,	30 00
Newbold, Son & Aertson,	100 00
Nugent, George,	30 00
Ogden, John M.,	30 00
Olmstead, Henry M.,	30 00
Orne, J. F. & E.,	50 00
Otto, Mrs. Mary,	2 50
Owens, R.,	10 00
Offering-Day Receipts,	1609 37
Painter, Minshall,	30 00
Parrish, George D.,	200 00
Parrish, M. D., Joseph,	500 00
Parry, Samuel,	30 00
Paschall, Robert S.,	130 00
Passavant, C. S.,	5 00
Paulson, Charles W.,	25 00
Peace, Dr. Edward,	30 00

Pears, John P.,	$50 00
Pennock, Joseph,	100 00
Pennock, Caroline W.,	130 00
Pennock, Abraham L.,	100 00
Pennock, B. J., M. D,	30 00
Perkins, Abram R.,	10 00
Perot, Francis,	30 00
Perot, Charles, .	30 00
Perot, William S.,	30 00
Perot, Elliston,	30 00
Poe, Adam,	10 00
Potter, Rev. Alonzo,	30 00
Potter, Thomas,	30 00
Poultney, Charles W.,	30 00
Powers, Thomas H.,	250 00
Pratt, Thomas,	30 00
Preston, Jane,	100 00
Price, J. L.,	30 00
Price, Stephen,	30 00
Price, Richard,	30 00
Pritchett, Baugh & Co.,	100 00
Purves, William,	30 00
Pugh, Isaac,	120 46
Pancoast, Dr. Joseph,	100 00
Pearsall, Mary,	30 00
Peterson, George,	30 00
Pencyre, Charles,	5 00
Pennock, Isabella L.,	30 00
Pennock, Sally,	30 00
Pierpont Frances,	50 00
Pennock, Jr., Abram L.,	20 00
Perot, Joseph,	5 00
Pennell, Edmund,	10 00
Pim, Annie,	100 00
Price, Eli K.,	30 00
Pusey, Lydia,	10 00
Pennel, Abram,	30 00
Pearce, George W.,	30 00
Randolph & Jenks,	100 00
Reakirk, John,	5 00
Remington, Thomas P.,	500 00
Reymer & Anderson,	30 00
Rhoads, Elizabeth,	50 00
Richards, James B.,	30 00
Richardson, Richards,	30 00
Ridgway, Thomas,	130 00
Robarts, W. S.,	30 00
Roberts, S. W.,	30 00
Robinson, H. & Co.,	50 00
Rodney, Rev. John A.,	30 00
Robeling, John A.,	100 00
Rogers, Evans,	50 00
Ronaldson, Richard,	500 00
Rosengaten, George D.	100 00
Ross, Mary E.,	30 00
Richards & Miller,	5 00
Rehn, William L.,	30 00
Rhoads, Dr. James E.,	30 00

Rhoads, Samuel,	$60 00
Rice, John.	30 00
Roberts, Pratt,	20 00
Rhoads, Charles,	5 00
Sellers & Pennock,	30 00
Sellers, Elizabeth,	25 00
Sellers, William & Co.,	30 00
Sellers, John,	100 00
Seybert, Henry,	30 00
Sharp, C. A.,	30 00
Sharpless, John M.,	600 00
Sharpless, Townsend,	100 00
Sharpless & Brother,	30 00
Sheppard, Catharine.	30 00
Shoenberger, John H.,	250 00
Shultz, Francis D.,	5 00
Simmons, Edward S.,	30 00
Slade, A.,	5 00
Smedley, William,	30 00
Smith, Dr. George,	130 00
Smith, Daniel,	30 00
Smith, George K.,	30 00
Smith, Jacob R.,	30 00
Smith, Newberry A.,	30 00
Smith, A. H.,	30 00
Sounder & Co., Edward A.,	20 00
Spackman, Rev. H. S.,	30 00
Spencer, Charles,	50 00
Spencer, Dr. J. J.,	30 00
Smith, George,	5 00
Shriver & Dilworth,	30 00
Singer & Hartman,	30 00
Swift, Joseph,	30 00
Stabler, William D.,	30 00
Steinmetz, John,	5 00
Stevenson, Frances W.,	280 00
Stephenson, Cornelius,	50 00
Stokes, Dr. John H.,	30 00
Strawbridge, George,	30 00
Strangers, per J. Collins,	5 00
Stroud, Hon. George M.,	30 00
Stuart, George H.,	30 00
Snddards, Rev. W.,	30 00
Sutter, C. J.,	30 00
Smith, A. Lewis,	30 00
Smedley, William,	30 00
Sanderson, William & Son,	10 00
Saunders, John,	30 00
Saunders, Macpherson,	30 00
Scattergood, Joseph,	30 00
Simpson, William,	30 00
Sharpless, T. & Son,	300 00
Sharpless, Enos,	200 00
Sharpless, Nathan,	20 00
Sharpless, Jr., John,	30 00
Sharpless, Henry,	30 00
Sharpless, P. S.,	20 00
Sharpless, Henry P.,	10 00

Shipley, Samuel,	$30 00
Sabbath-School of Rev. Mr. Newton, West Chester,	25 00
Tasker, Stephen P. M.,	30 00
Tasker, Joseph R.,	30 00
Tasker, Thomas T.,	930 00
Tatham, William P.,	30 00
Taylor, Susan R.,	5 00
Taylor, Hannah,	30 00
Taylor, Joseph W.,	30 00
Taylor, Franklin,	30 00
Taylor, Abram M.,	30 00
Thaw, William,	50 00
Thatcher.	15 00
Thomas, William B.,	100 00
Thomas, Jane,	50 00
Thomas, John,	30 00
Thomas, Lydia & Sisters,	100 00
Thomas, George,	10 00
Thomas, Joseph, M.,	30 00
Thompson, John J.,	80 00
Thompson, Mrs. John J.,	30 00
Thompson, W. P.,	5 00
Thompson. William R.,	30 00
Toland, George,	5 00
Townsend, Washington,	50 00
Trotter, Joseph.	30 00
Trotter, George,	30 00
Trotter, William H.,	30 00
Trotter, Charles,	30 00
Turnpenny, Joseph C.,	80 00
Tasker, Mrs. Elizabeth,	100 00
Taylor, James,	25 00
Thomas, Enos,	20 00
Townsend, J. B.,	30 00
Townsend, E. K.,	5 00
Trainer, David,	20 00
Thomas, Dr. George,	100 00
Troutman, George M.,	30 00
Thomas, Isaac,	50 00
Tyler, Hugh,	30 00
Vansyckell, Sarah B.,	30 00
Vaux, William S.,	30 00
Verree & Mitchell,	30 00
Wadsworth, Rev. C. W.,	30 00
Wagner, Mrs. Tobias,	50 00
Wainwright, William,	50 00
Weightman, William,	30 00
Walker, Matthew,	30 00
Waln, S. Morris,	550 00
Warder, Benjamin H.,	30 00
Warner, Joseph,	100 00
Warford, Mrs. Eliza,	30 00
Welling, Charles H.,	30 00
Wells, Francis,	30 00
Welsh, Samuel.	250 00

Welsh, Mrs. Samuel	$100 00
Welsh, William,	200 00
Welsh, John,	250 00
Weyman, Elizabeth,	30 00
Weyman, George,	30 00
Wharton, Francis A.,	50 00
Wheeler, Charles,	30 00
White, Elizabeth,	50 00
White, Thomas H.,	30 00
White, Rebecca,	100 00
White, Daniel S.,	100 00
White, Samuel S.,	30 00
Whitall, John M.,	30 00
Wiley, Rev. F. W. J.,	30 00
Wilson, Joseph P.,	330 00
Williamson, Dr. Walter,	30 00
Williamson, Enos,	30 00
Williamson, Azariah,	30 00
Williamson, I. V.,	50 00
Williamson, C. R.,	30 00
Winslow, Isaac,	30 00
Wilstach, William P.,	30 00
Wood, Robert,	30 00
Wood, Dr. George B.,	600 00
Wood, Horatio,	50 00
Wood, J. B., M. D.,	30 00
Woods, Rev. H. W.,	30 00
Wright, James A.,	50 00
Wright, E. N.,	50 00
Wright, Peter,	30 00
Wright, John,	$30 00
Wailer, Joseph,	10 00
Wallace, Jr., Thomas,	25 00
Wattson, Thomas B.,	50 00
Weightman, William,	100 00
Webb, Mrs. Hannah,	10 00
Whitney, A. & Son,	200 00
Wilson, Jane T.,	100 00
Williams, Isabella,	30 00
Williams, Thomas R.,	50 00
Williams, Benjamin J.,	10 00
Woodside, John,	30 00
Williamson, Peter,	5 00
White, A. H.,	2 50
Wood, Caleb,	30 00
Worrall, Jr., Isaac,	250 00
Worth, John,	10 00
Webb, Mrs.,	10 00
Wilcox, Mark,	100 00
Yarnall, Edward,	50 00
Yarnall, Ellis,	30 00

LIFE MEMBERS' COMPLIMENTARY.

Fortune, George
Nicholson, Miss Mary
Passavant, Rev. W. A
Stevenson, Esther B.
Welsh, Mrs. R. S.

DONATIONS FOR BUILDINGS OR HOUSE CONSUMPTION.

Bryson, James H., in Printing and Stationery, -	$36 00
Comfort, Ezra, in Dry-Goods, - - - -	30 00
Cook, John, in Soap and Candles, - - -	100 00
Dorsey, William, in China Ware, - - -	30 00
Hunt, Uriah, in Books, - - - - - -	30 00
Meigs, J. Forsythe, M. D., in Cash, - - -	50 00
Parrish, Dillwyn, Medicines, - - - -	30 00
Parrish, Edward, " - - - -	30 00
Parrish, Wm. D., " - - - -	30 00
Parrish, Sarah, " - - - -	30 00
Powell, J. & W., Cows, Stock, - - - -	100 00
Poultney, Charles W., Lumber, - - - -	100 00
Shoemaker, Benjamin, Glass, - - - -	100 00
Shoemaker, Robert, " - - - -	50 00
Warner, Joseph, Hardware, - - - -	100 00
Maule, Edward, Lumber, - - - - -	50 00
Williams, Isaac S., Furniture, - - - -	10 00
Davis & Co., A. B., Platform Scales, - - -	15 00
Stoddart & Co., Curven, Dry-Goods, - - -	30 00

SUBSCRIPTIONS INCLUDED IN THE OFFERING-DAY RECEIPTS.

Samuel Riddle, - - - - - -	$100 00
Mrs. Pennock, - - - - - -	50 00
A Friend, - - - - - - -	5 00
A Friend, - - - - - - -	5 00
A Friend, - - - - - - -	10 00

OBLIGATION,

TO BE SIGNED BY A RESPONSIBLE REPRESENTATIVE OF APPLICANT, AND A SURETY, WHO MUST BE AN APPROVED RESIDENT OF PHILADELPHIA OR ITS VICINITY, WHEN IT IS POSSIBLE.

In consideration of being admitted into "*The Pennsylvania Training School for Feeble-Minded Children,*" we do jointly and severally promise to pay to the Superintendent of said Institution, or to his order, quarterly, in advance, dollars, cents, for the maintenance of said child, and to provide, or pay for, such clothing, and other things, as may be deemed necessary or proper for health and comfort; to remove when discharged, free of cost to the Institution; and if taken away against the advice or consent of the Superintendent, before the expiration of the quarter, any money that may have been paid is not to be refunded.

Witness our hands, the day of 18

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OBLIGATION FOR THE SUPPLY OF CLOTHING.

having been admitted on the beneficiary list of "*The Pennsylvania Training School for Feeble-Minded Children,*" I do hereby agree to provide such clothing, &c., as may be required for the comfort and advantage of said and to pay all bills for clothing, &c., which may be furnished by the Superintendent of the Institution.